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ricultural Store, corner Cross & River sts.

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**DRUGS & MEDICINES.**

**E. SAMSON**, Drug and Book Store,  
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**H. VAN TUYL**, Drugs Paints, & Oils,  
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**NOCK & KINGSBURY**, Druggists  
and Pharmacists, Cross St., opposite  
the depot.

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ry, Post office, Huron street.

**S. MITH & BRO.**, North side of Congress  
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**DAVID COON**, Furniture, Coffins and  
Undertaking, south side, Congress street.

**M. C. ANDREWS & STANWAY**,  
Manufacturers and Dealers in Furniture,  
and Undertakers, East side Congress street.

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ufacturers of Carriages, Wagons &c., east  
side Washington street.

**EDWARDS & COOPER**, Sash and  
Blind Factory, corner of Congress and  
Washington Sts.

**E. & F. P. BOGARDUS**, Bankers,  
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kers, Follett House Block, Cross street.

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shop corner of Adam & Congress sts.

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Express Office, Congress street, east of  
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**P. J. H. PARSONS**, Photo-  
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Instruction. Residence, Forest Avenue.

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**D. P. MAYHEW**, A. M.—Natural Sciences.  
Residence at Mrs. Buckbee's, Congress St.

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Languages. Residence, one mile down the  
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dence, Hamilton Street.

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STREETS.

**J. ESTABROOK**, PRINCIPAL—Latin, Greek,  
and Intellectual Philosophy. Residence, Fo-  
rest Avenue.

**J. C. PLUMB**, ASSISTANT—Natural science  
and Mathematics. Corner of Normal and  
Pearl streets.

**Up gallops gallant Wilcox,**  
Who led our foremost van,  
And shouts as he approaches us :  
" Is this my Michigan ?  
Forno into line ! " The word—tis done.

**They enfile our rising flank**,  
With masked artillery.  
They charge our battery, seize our guns,  
And wheel them half around,

**And pour a withering volley forth,**  
That mows scores to the ground.

**But what a fearful spectacle**,  
No chevalry could save.  
They with their cursed Assassin,  
Receive one common grave.

**Her great, inglorious woman-clad**,  
For speedy death remaineth,  
To prove to nations of the earth,  
The Lord Almighty reigned.

### POETRY.

**WAR PICTURES.**

We have before us a poem with the  
above title, by Gabriel Campbell, A. B.,  
Captain in the 17th Michigan Infantry.

This poem was delivered on Class Day,  
before the class of 1865. It possesses in-  
trinsic merit. It embraces a history of  
the regiment in poetry. The first call to  
the war—the first parade—the departure  
at Washington—the March—camping  
—South Mountain—the battle field—An-  
tietam—the welcome home—the present  
—the future. His account of the 17th at  
the battle of South Mountain is splendid :

**At twelve ten thousand cannon**,  
To celebrate this day,  
When PEACE unfolds her cherub wings<sup>9</sup>  
And speeds us on our way.

**For "BABYLON IS FALLEN;"**—  
Doomed harbinger of ill ;—  
And, from the wine-press of her wrath,  
Her sons have drunk their fill.

**THE REVIVAL OF SLAVERY.**

We call especial attention to the fol-  
lowing significant and striking article  
from THE REVIVAL OF SLAVERY.

"The proofs that there is a widely  
spread, deeply seated, and well-matured  
dissolution in the minds of the old  
slavery oligarchy and the galvanized  
rebels of this State to re-establish the  
institution of negro slavery, so soon as  
the Federal troops shall have relapsed  
into the hands of the old State rights  
faction, crowd thickly upon us almost  
every day."

"I mean to vote for Gov. Campbell,"  
said a wealthy and influential citizen in  
an adjoining county the other day, "because  
he is for slavery, and we will easily get  
our slaves when these Federal  
soldiers leave the State." You ought  
to vote for Gov. Campbell," said  
a prominent slaveholder in another  
county to his friend, "because he is  
against the abolitionists, and will help  
us to get back our niggers as soon as  
the army goes away." This is not the  
talk of trifling thoughtless men—it is  
the expression of substantial citizens,  
men of influence and wealth, devoted  
not to politics, but to the right of prop-  
erty in negroes, who believe with Gov.  
Campbell and Emerson Etheridge, that  
all the acts of both the Federal and  
State Governments freeing the slaves  
were illegal, null and void, and of no  
binding effect, unless the people thro'  
convenience consent to submit to stern  
necessity. A Tennessean of high character  
who never held or asked for office  
in his life, informed us the other day,  
that several prominent citizens of  
this county told him that slavery in  
modified form would soon be reinstated.  
The Union men who think that the  
slaveholders have retired from the contest,  
finally are sadly mistaken. They are  
discreetly silent now, and wait for the  
withdrawal of the national troops  
from Tennessee when the local affairs  
of every magistrate's district will be  
controlled by such men as Morgan Andrews,  
of Columbia. We call on the friends of freedom to awake and crush  
out this infernal plot of the slave  
oligarchy while it is weak. Trust no man,  
vote for no man who is not a straight-  
out, open advocate of universal  
absolute freedom and equal rights. The  
pretended anti-slavery movement in  
Tennessee is not led by fools. Its  
leaders have a purpose in view, which  
they do not dare to proclaim openly on  
the stump, for fear of being lodged in a  
military prison. Why do they de-  
nounce the emancipation movement as  
wholly illegal and unconstitutional, if  
they have not secretly resolved to test  
it before State courts of their own making  
so soon as they get the power? Yes, they mean to re-establish slavery.  
Four out of five of the supporters of Gov. Campbell would vote to re-instate  
slavery to-day if Federal muskets did  
not deter them. We must place the  
State firmly upon the basis of equal  
rights, and see that the loyal blacks  
who saved the lives of Union refugees  
and soldiers, while their masters acted  
as guerrillas, are endowed with all the  
means of self-protection."

**They rally yet—and yet again—**  
Fiendish mid reckoning blood !  
No rebel steel nor walls of stone  
Can check the loyal flood ;  
But just as o'er that mountain top,  
Reflects the setting sun,  
Our victor shouts sent heavenward  
Proclaim the Battle won.

**Back driven from their firm stockades,**  
They rush with hideous groan ;  
And rally, with redoubled strength,  
Behind a wall of stone.

**On comes the line of Michigan,—**  
With bristling bayonet all ;—  
Three volleys and a charge ! Great God !  
It clearly scales the wall.

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**Back, o'er the heaps of mangled men,**  
We move as shuns the day,  
And there recline upon our arms,  
To watch the night away ;  
And as to heaven's calm, peaceful vault  
We turn the weary eye,  
We feel that we have struck one blow  
For God and Liberty.

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A LETTER FROM REV. MR. VAN PAMMEL AND A REPLY.

YPSILANTI, AUG. 31, 1865.

C. R. PATTISON—Sir:

A friend has lately handed me the "Commercial" of the 11th inst, which contains a remarkable article headed, "Colored Suffrage a Religious Safeguard," by Wm. H. Hooper. May I kindly ask you whether you endorse said article or the statements therein made? Certain persons seem inclined to think that the very fact of your inserting it amounts to an endorsement.

I will be thankful if you favor me with an answer.

Respectfully yours,

E. VAN PAMMEL.

REPLY NO. 2.

Rev. Mr. VanPammel—DEAR SIR:—The writer of the article you allude to takes the ground that the increase of Catholics in this country, as demonstrated in the "Catholic World" is a "danger the magnitude of which cannot be over-estimated." Were we

convicted that in a Democratic form of

Government, under Republican Institutions the Catholic body could main-

tain its unity, religiously and politi-

ally, owing and acknowledging "political

and religious leadership in a foreign po-

tentate," we should feel greatly alarm-

ed. Not more so however, than in the

case of a protestant body under like cir-

cumstances. Setting aside the confes-

sional should the Baptist denomination

or any protestant body owe sole allegi-

ance politically and religiously to a

foreign potentate; were there a

political clanship, so that the entire

body, rarely an exception, allied itself

with one party, and that party arrayed

against humanity, the nobility and eleva-

tion of manhood, pledged to the oppres-

sion and degradation of four millions

of human beings, because of the color

of their skin,—a party that held on to

the slaveholding aristocracy, until this

aristocracy cast it off and then extend-

ed its sympathy, got down on its mar-

row bones, and besought at least, the

privilege of touching the hem of its

garments, and when these slavemonger

rebels are conquered receives them un-

repentant with open arms and joins them

in hunting down, cutting and carving,

killing and exterminating this colored

race, depriving them, if possible, of ev-

ery attribute of humanity, education

and religious instruction, to testify in

courts—legal marriage, franchise—we

say that were the Baptist denomina-

tion or any other protestant body to

occupy such a position with our pres-

ent light, we should be afraid of it, and

fear its growth as an imminent danger

to the republic. Such an attempt on

the part of any protestant body through

the dictation or even the assent of its

priesthood to uphold such a huge load

of sins and moral corruption would

produce such an excitement in this

country as has not yet been witnessed.

It would meet a whirlwind of opposi-

tion. Sir, the majority of the Ameri-

can people are jealous of their liberties,

and this jealousy makes them keenly

alive to its infraction in the case of any

son and daughter of Adam.

The writer contrasts the colored race

with the status of Irish Catholics in this

country. He takes the ground that in

point of intelligence there is not much

to choose. "The black is uncultivated

and ignorant, but so is the Irish."—

Never having been South we know not

the relative degree of intelligence there.

It is the universal testimony of those

who ought to know that the poor whites

of the South are below the level of the

former slaves,—more ignorant, more

helpless. Here is the report of the of-

ficer at Chattanooga of those receiving

ration from the government:

White people, 904

Blacks, 43

— Superiority of whites, 861

As figures won't lie, here is

Confirmation strong as proofs of holy writ."

As to population the numbers are

not very far from equal, but here are

twenty-three whites to one black de-

pendent on government to keep soul

and body together. We don't aver

that these poor whites are Irishmen.—

Slavery has the same effect in degrad-

ing and humiliating every class and race

of men. As we cannot follow the wri-

ter South let us come nearer home.—

Take our own city. We judge that in

population there is not a material dif-

ference. From thorough inquiry and

observation, we venture the assertion

that the black population of this city

have taken and purchased the last year

and do now take and purchase more

newspapers than the Irish Catholics;

we go further and put it at double the

number. Other more knowing parties

place it at thrice the number. To

demonstrate the thing we make this

liberal offer, you may choose your man

and we will choose ours, and the two

may choose a third, and they shall

thoroughly canvass the matter, and if

the facts don't show that the blacks of

this city take and purchase more pa-

pers than the Irish Catholics we will

give \$25.00 into the Treasury of the Ladies' Benevolent Association for the poor of this city. If the facts show to the contrary you shall contribute the \$25.00 to this worthy object. To make this proposition a fair one, the canvassers shall be limited between the 1st of January and the 1st of September, 1865. If the proposition be accepted these canvassers can easily demon-

strate that, so far as a lack of prejudice is concerned, in taking and reading political papers that do not jibe with their peculiar notions, the blacks are entirely ahead. We aver that as a body in diversified general information regarding politics of all parties the blacks are ahead. So suspicious are Irish Catholics of being poisoned by the pro-slavery papers that oppose their policies, that it is next to an impossibility to get them to subscribe for a Republican paper. To test the matter, we make you another proposition, that for every Irish Catholic who will subscribe and pay for our paper a year, we will place one dollar in your hands toward defraying the expenses of bringing up and educating the orphans of the Catholic Church. With regard to the number of children who receive an education there can be no tests made, for the colored children of our city are wickedly excluded from our Union School, and this is done through the balance of power exercised by Irish Catholics. All the advantages are on the side of the Irishmen.

Now the writer of the article takes the position that to save this country, we must not disfranchise the Irishmen, which thing the native American or Know Nothing party proposed to do, which party we opposed tooth and nail, but we must give the blacks who are mainly Protestant and whose instincts are on the side of freedom,—the elective franchise. He says, "it is desirable to meet the positive Catholic element in politics or religion by one equally positive in another direction." The Irishmen have chosen, to cast their lot as allies of the slave power and the oppressors of a wronged race. They largely hold the balance of power and the question arises, why not arm this wronged race with the ballot, and thus give them protection against the wicked use of the ballot in the hands of this balance power?

We can see no reason why not. If the Irish were the oppressed, wronged body, and the blacks the balance power, voting against them, allied with party seeking political alliance with their oppressors, we should deem ourselves wickedly culpable, if we did not protest and favor the placing of the ballot in the hands of every intelligent Irishman. This is all we ask for the colored man, conferring upon every intelligent black man the means of protecting himself and race. Children of the same common father, inheriting the right equally to breathe God's pure air, they are entitled to the same equality of privilege.

If it should ever chance that the colored voters become the tool of priest or layman, and form a clanship as obnoxious to liberty and human equality as in the case of Irish Catholics, then let honest and conscientious men unite to vote them down.

We oppose the exclusion of any class or race of intelligent men from political power. Disgrade and disfranchise one class of men and you degrade all. There is room in this country for all, the Protestant and the Catholic, the Republican and the Democrat, for men of every race and color.

Allow us in closing to ask you to explain the strange, political phenomena presented by Irish Catholics in this country. They pretend to flee from the oppression of the old world to the freedom of the new, yet almost their first act in their new-found liberty, is to declare themselves in favor of a species of human bondage, the meanest and most infamous recorded in history. Fleeing from degradation and political disfranchisement, they make haste upon their arrival here to aid in the degradation and disfranchisement of a race of fal-low-men equal to themselves in the God-given attributes of manhood, and in the instinctive love of freedom for all mankind far ahead. It would seem that like the cruel boy who catches flies and tortures them for the fun of it the shoving off of a race on to a lower plane than themselves so as to have somebody to look down upon and scorn, hate and "damn," and persecute, affords them peculiar relish.

Why should Irishmen compromise their manhood in an ignoble, political servility to a class of politicians, who, though just before an election they play them with whiskey, smile on them and meet them as "hale fellows well met," flatter their Irish pride and almost become good Catholics, but when the election is over, and they have no farther use for them, cast them off as they would a soiled garment until another election. Their equals for a few days before election, and then in their palatial dwellings look down upon them with contempt. They give an Irish Catholic office? Not they, no more than they would a nigger. All they want of an Irishman or care for him is his vote, and they know they can have that dog cheap. No wonder that the whole-souled, heroic *Meagher* cries out "it is full time that Irishmen emancipate themselves from the control of the politicians who have so many years held them in ignoble captivity."

We believe that the negro would assert more manhood and independence of character than to become the tool or do the bidding of any class of politicians. THAN ANY OTHER CONCERN IN DETROIT!

lessons of Christianity, the principles of a broad humanity and labor to make them better men and women, we wish you abundant success.

CURRENT EVENTS.

The Witz trial drags its slow length

along. It develops such disgusting and cruel details that we refrain from reading any more than absolutely necessary to give our readers the facts.

We know that no sorrow stricken mother would wish to read the details of the dreadful cruelties heaped by worse than traitor's hands upon her poor defenseless soldier boy.—Governor Sharkey of Mississippi issued an order arming the militia of that State.

Gen. Slocum the candidate of the Democracy of New York for Secretary of State counteracted it. The President, however, has overruled Slocum and strongly, and we believe unwisely, permits the arming of 15,000 ex-rebels. —Leading

republicans recently met in Washington to decide upon the policy in the new congress. —The Democracy in New York have nominated four Republicans. The New York Times says

they have made a handsome surrender.

It is probable that the Republicans will nominate a least four on the ticket. Among the number will be Gen. Slocum and Lucius Robinson.

Civil courts have been established in South Carolina for the trial of cases except those of colored persons. Of course colored men have no rights which a white man is bound to respect.

The colored men of North Carolina are to hold a convention at Beaufort on the 29th inst. They have extended invitation to Chief Justice Chase, Horace Greeley, Gen. Butler, and others to address them. —Senator Harlan has written a letter defining the Presidents position in reference to the negro suffrage. He says, "it is desirable to meet the positive Catholic element in politics or religion by one equally positive in another direction."

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## LOCAL MATTERS

**Ypsilanti Mail Arrangements.**  
Mail going East, closes 4:00 P.M.  
do do West, do 8:20 A.M.  
Saline, Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays,  
closes at 12:00 noon.  
Lake Edge, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Sat-  
urdays, closes 12:00 M.  
Bellefontaine, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Sat-  
urdays, closes 11:45 P.M.  
Monroe, via Paint Creek and Oakville,  
Thursdays, closes 11:00 A.M.  
Office hours from 7 A.M. to 8 P.M., except  
Sundays.

A GOOD GIRL for housework want-  
ed. Apply at this office.

## OUR NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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Cloaks—S.W. Smith, Detroit.  
Domestic Dyes—G.H. Reed & Co.  
Subscriptions—E.F. Uhl, Sec. Y.F.M.T.A.  
Scandinavian Remedies—Dr. Roback.  
Sterling's Ambrosia.  
Cabinet Organs—Mason & Hamlin.

## A DIRTY TRICK.

The *Sentinel* secured through a con-  
temptible sneak a private letter, and  
such is its low state of morals, induced,  
we suppose, by preaching copperhead  
doctrines so long, that it thought it no  
dishonor to publish it. A certain law  
office, not a thousand miles from the  
Post Office, (we mean the copperish  
tail of the firm,) became cognizant of  
the affair prior to publication and was  
mighty pleased, and thought it would  
not do to let so good a chance to stab  
said "loyal citizen" pass unapproved.

The "loyal citizen" to whom the let-  
ter was addressed considered it beneath  
his dignity to notice the publication,  
from the fact that such underhanded  
attempts to injure a person or his busi-  
ness, always re-acts upon those who  
engage in it. And he would not now,  
but for the busy attempts to show dis-  
honesty on his part. The letter would  
imply that all the coupons were cut off.  
The fact is, that the coupons for the  
first six months interest were cut off  
from two \$100 December bonds, under  
the impression that they were August  
bonds, or interest due Aug. 15th.

The business was done in great  
hurry, under a pressure of cares, and  
the mistake was not noticed until a day  
or two afterwards, when the coupons  
were presented at the bank. The par-  
ties to whom the bonds were sent were  
notified of the mistake, and the explana-  
tion was satisfactory. The supposi-  
tion on the face is that the loyal  
citizen would not trade with a copper-  
head. So he wrote that a man too cop-  
perish to take U.S. bonds at par when  
at par, could not expect to receive his  
trade. The author of the letter who  
complained that U.S. Bonds were sent  
instead of greenbacks, zealously denies  
the impeachment of being tainted with  
copperheadism as the loyal citizen ap-  
prehends any sensible business man  
would make haste to do. This same  
snapper to the firm above-mentioned,  
says to the "loyal citizen," a few days  
since, "ha! ha! you won't trade with  
a Democrat, then." Thus acknowledg-  
ing what everybody believes that he,  
at least, considers himself a copperhead.  
But the loyal citizen don't believe that  
every democrat is a copperhead. He  
always has and will continue to trade  
with and do business with democrats.  
But with a man so shamed as to boast  
that he is a copperhead he never  
will. He apprehends that no reliable  
business man, in possession of his senses  
will venture to make the boast.

**ANN ARBOR SCHOOL MEETING.**  
This was a creditable affair beside  
of ours. We learn from the *Argus* that  
the polls were opened at 9 A.M., and  
kept open until 2 P.M., at which hour  
they were closed and the votes counted.

The result showed that

Henry D. Bennett had 273  
Ebenezer Wells " 205  
Collins B. Cook " 279  
A. W. Chase " 90  
A. W. Markham " 4  
And Messrs. Bennett, Wells and  
Cook having received a majority of the  
votes polled, were declared elected  
Trustees for the term of three years.

The votes for Mr. Chase were given  
because of a little unnecessary jealousy  
of the Third Warders about the location  
of their School House, and not be-  
cause of any dissatisfaction in any other  
particular."

Party as we see in the result had no  
show. But good common sense in  
electing the best men irrespective of  
party. Let the same contemptible  
party spirit and method of proceeding as  
witnessed at our last meeting, and in  
fact, in everything that concerns the  
polity of our city, and its welfare be  
persevered in, and men of probity,  
and capital will avoid it as they would  
the cholera. Many of our best men  
have not attended the school meetings  
for several years. They have become  
so disgusted that they cannot maintain  
their dignity and self-respect by their  
presence, and sanction of such infinite  
party meanness as has been exhibited  
at these meetings. Respectable demo-  
ocrats are becoming affected with a like  
nausea. Let the men of Ypsilanti, who  
are jealous of its honor and would pro-  
mote its welfare inaugurate a reform.

THOSE WHO suffer from liver complaints  
may rely upon the Red Jacket Bitters, be-  
cause they derive from its antiphilic properties  
immediate and certain relief when all  
the usually prescribed remedies have proved  
useless.

## BURIED IN A WELL.

John Flynn, an old and experienced well  
digger, while digging a well in Ann Arbor  
last Friday was buried in the well by the  
banks caving in. The depth was about 12ft.  
not curbed. He was covered up in the  
ground at the depth of two feet over his head.  
A large number of men came to his assistance  
and sufficient sand was removed to allow him  
to breathe, when a light barrel was setted  
over and around his head, the sides of the  
well curved in, and energetic hands removed  
a large amount of sand and finally extricated  
him from his perilous situation.

## TRADE ASSOCIATION.

The meeting of the Farmers' and Mechanics  
Trade Association, at Follett Hall, so far  
as numbers and enthusiasm seemed a success.  
The following officers were chosen to hold  
over until 1st of Jan. next.

PRESIDENT.—J.W. Childs.

VICE PRESIDENT.—Dr. P. Davis.

SECRETARY.—Edwin F. Uhl.

TREASURER.—John Gilbert.

DIRECTORS.—H. Hanford, E.M. Cole, Wm.  
Campbell, L. Yost, W.L. Yost, C. Yost,  
Peter Cook, L.R. Brown.

## REMOVAL.

B.C. Wright, agent for the Lever  
Beater Hay Press and Cider Manufac-  
turing Comp'y, has removed his office  
and Store House, from the Follett block  
to their new buildings on the old Fair  
Grounds on the east side of the river.  
He is prepared to pay cash for all kinds  
of produce, especially hay and apples.

## NEW ESTABLISHMENT.

Passing down Huron St., south part the  
city we discovered a new establishment in  
full blast. E.P. Walsh, wooden ware, farm-  
ing implements &c. and an article we never  
saw before. Mr. W. manufactures Fruit  
Dryers. We know they must be first rate.  
Our wife must have one and every farmer's  
wife certainly ought to.

## NEW FIRMS.

Gorton, Williams & Co have bought the  
stock in trade of A.J. Leetich, at the red gro-  
cery and provision store, Congress St. and  
propose to increase the stock and trade on  
liberal terms.

S.H. Beecher & Co young men of enter-  
prise have recently come on from Albion, N.Y.  
and established a grocery and provision  
store on Cross St. at the Depot. They  
pride themselves on a good stock and hope  
to merit a share of public patronage.

CHEATS.—One of our subscribers has  
handed in a lottery scheme. He says  
they keep sending to him. If at this  
late day when all these Lottery faires  
and impositions have been so often ex-  
posed any person goes in and gets bit,  
he is past pity.

The School census recently taken gives  
the number of persons in our city, between  
5 and 20 years 1,340.

## REAL ESTATE SALES.

A. S. Welch, House and 14 acres of land  
on Forest Avenue to S. Post—\$9,550.

## MARRIED.

HACKETT—MASON—In Plymouth, Sept. 12,  
by Rev. C.E. Hewitt, Capt. John H. Hackett  
late of Co. I, 29th Mich. Inf'y., and Miss An-  
nie S. Mason, of Plymouth.

GRANGER—PEACH—In Ypsilanti Sept. 12th  
by the same, Mr. Thomas Granger, of Green-  
oak, and Miss Mary A. Peach of the same  
place.

## DIED.

LAMBIE—September 8th, Maria Morton, on-  
ly child of Robert and Ennice M. Lambie,  
and grandchild of Eutros Morton, aged 3  
years and seven months.

We will follow her soon to our Father's home,  
To our Father's home in the skies,  
Where no more sorrows we will know no blight  
And leave no broken tie.

We will roam the banks of the river of peace,  
And bathe in its blissful tide,

And one of the joys of our heaven will be  
The little girl that died.

## MARKET REPORTS.

**YPSILANTI MARKET.**  
Prepared for the Commercial, by M.H.  
Brooks, Grocer.

WHEAT, White, — to \$1.80  
" Red, " 1.65  
CORN, shelled, " 70  
" ear, " 35  
OATS, " 30  
Cheese, " 16  
BUTTER, " 28  
EGGS, " 14  
POTATOES, " 30  
BEANS, " 75  
APPLES, " 50  
DRIED APPLES, " 8  
HAY, 800 " 10.00  
MESS PORK, 30.00 " 31.00  
LARD, " 25  
Wool, " 55 " 60

## DETROIT MARKET.

Detroit, September 8th, 1864.  
FLOUR, Superior, \$9.25 to \$9.50  
WHEAT, No. 1 white, " 95  
" No. 1 red, " 1.78  
FEED, bran shorts, " 13.00  
" middlings, " 18.00

CORN, " 45  
Rye, " 75  
BARLEY, per cwt., 1.54 " 1.90  
BEANS, " 90 " 100  
POTATOES, " 30  
BUTTER, " 25  
EGGS, " 17 " 18  
CHEESE, " 23 " 24  
MESS PORK, 32.00 " 32.00  
BEEF, 13.00 " 16.00  
HAMS, " 27  
SHOULDERS, " 17  
LARD, " 24  
FISH, White, 8.25  
" Trout, " 7.00  
SALT, " 3.50  
ONIONS, " 45 " 50  
HIDES, Trimmed, " 6 " 7  
" Green Salted, " 10  
PELTS, " 75 " 10.00  
TALLOW, Rough, " 7 " 8  
" Rendered, " 12 " 13  
APPLES, pr. bush, " 75 " 100  
" Dried, pr. lb., " 9 " 10  
HOPS, " 40 " 47  
CLOVER SEED, " 18.00  
HAY, " 9.00 " 12.00

CRUMPTON'S STRAWBERRY BAL-  
SAM!

A certain remedy for DIARRHEA, DYSEN-  
TERY, Cholera Morbus, Flux, Heartburn, and  
all bowel complaints. Entirely vegetable. A  
specific for Camp Diarrhea. Osborne & Howe  
Proprietors, Buchanan, Mich. Burnhams &  
VanShanck, Chicago, and Farrand, Sheeley &  
Co. Detroit, wholesale agents. 3m75

## A CARD TO INVALIDS.

A Clergyman, while residing in South Amer-  
ica as a missionary, discovered a safe and sim-  
ple remedy for the cure of Nervous Weakness,  
Early decay, diseases of the Urinary and Sem-  
inal Organs, and the whole train of disorders  
brought on by baneful and vicious habits.—  
Great numbers have already been cured by  
this noble remedy. Prompted by a desire to  
benefit the afflicted and unfortunate, I will  
send the receipt for preparing and using this  
medicine, in a sealed envelope, to any one who  
needs it, free of charge.

Please inclose a stamped envelope, address  
to yourself. ADDRESS JOSEPH T. INMAN,  
STATION D, BIBLE HOUSE  
NEW YORK CITY.

YPSILANTI COMMERCIAL, SATURDAY MORNING, SEPTEMBER 16, 1865.

## RAILROADS.

## MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILROAD.

1865. 1865.

ON, and after Tuesday, April 11th 1865, Pas-  
senger trains will run as follows;

## TRAIN'S WESTWARD

Day	Evg	Night	Dex
Mail	Exp.	Exp.	Acc.
A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
DETROIT, Five, 7:15	10:30	11:00	4:35
Wayne,	8:10	11:25	6:20
			5:30
YPSILANTI, 8:40	11:55	6:50	12:35
			6:12
Ann Arbor, 9:05	12:15	7:10	1:00
Dexter, 9:35	12:40	7:35	7:00
Chelsea, 9:55	12:55	7:50	
CHICAGO, Arr.	11:00	6:00	12:30

DEXTER ACCOMMODATION.—From Dexter Daily  
except Sundays & Mondays.

MAIL TRAIN.—From Marshall, daily except

Sundays.

## TRAIN'S EASTWARD

THOMAS WILKINSON, Guardian.

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## REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN: County of Wash-  
ington, ss.—In the matter of the estate of

Robert Wilkinson, of the county of Cuyahoga

State of Ohio, Minor.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of

an order granted to the undersigned guardian

of the estate of said minor by the Hon. Judge of

Probate for the county of Washington, on the

twenty-fourth day of July, A.D. 1865, there

will be sold at public vendue to the highest

bidding, at the dwelling house on the premises in

the city of Ypsilanti, in the county of Wash-

ington and State of Michigan, also the future

contingent estate of said minor in two other

undivided fourth parts of said lot.

Dated July 28th, 1865.

THOMAS WILKINSON,

Guardian.

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## REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN: COUNTY OF WASH-  
INGTON, ss.—In the matter of the estate of

George F. Marshall and Franklin J. Marshall,

of the county of Washington and State of Michigan,

minors. Notice is hereby given, that in

pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned

guardian of the estate of said minors, by the Hon.

Judge of Probate for the county of Washington

on the eighth day of August, A.D. 1865, there

will be held a public vendue to the highest

bidding, at the dwelling house on the premises in

the city of Ypsilanti, in the county of Wash-

ington and State of Michigan, also the future

contingent estate of said minors in two other

undivided fourth parts of said lot.

E. W. BUSH,



J. N. HORNER.

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YPSILANTI

MARBLE WORKS.



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MONUMENTS, HEAD AND TOMB STONES,  
FURNITURE WORK, MARBLE-  
IZED SLATE, MANTLES,  
BRACKETS, SHELVES &c.,The Marbleized Slate is a beautiful imitation  
of the most rare and desirable Foreign Marbles.  
They are so highly polished that they retain  
their beauty much longer than marble, and  
are not injured by stains or atmospheric influences.  
All orders from abroad promptly at-  
tended to and delivered to any part of the coun-  
try or State.

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Where can be found a General Assortment of  
HAIRS, SOFAS, BUREAUS  
MARBLE-TOP TABLES.  
BEDSTEADS, STANDS &c., &c.Which for style, durability and cheapness are  
un-  
matched.Having a long experience in the business, both in  
this country and in Europe, he is prepared to make  
anything in the Furniture Line that may be wanted,  
and will supply all kinds of Furniture, and offers services on  
reasonable terms.Please call and examine our  
work and prices.

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MANUFACTURERS.

THIS Long and well-tried establishment  
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Latest Stylesand most improved patterns. Made  
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Finest and Durable Work.

TOP AND OPEN CARRIAGES,  
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also manufacture to order.

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compare favorably with any similar establish-  
ment in the country.We are in receipt of orders from abroad  
And solicit the attention of our friends at home  
and elsewhere to our work.

WASHINGTON ST., YPSILANTI

H. BATCHELDER, R.  
C. MCINTOSH.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

To PREVENT TREES FROM SPLITTING  
For preserving forked trees from splitting under weight of fruit, Isaac Lewis, of Hopkinsville, Kentucky, has given us the plan. "My, plan," he writes, "which I have followed for thirty years, is this: When I find a forked tree that is likely to split, I look for a small limb on each fork, and clean them of leaves and later branches for most of their length. I then carefully bring them together and wind them around each other. In twelve months they will have united, and in two years the ends can be cut off. The brace will grow as fast as any other part of the tree, and is a perfect security from splitting. I have them now of all sizes and I scarcely knew one to fail to grow."

LATEST STYLES

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BEST MATERIALS,

which we are offering for sale at the

LOWEST CASH RATES

Thankful for past patronage, we cordially invite

our old patrons and the public generally to

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kind of work to order.

Remember the place - two doors south

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Oils And House Paints,

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A. COOPER.

Ypsilanti, July 1st 1865.

A. COOPER.